(b) A limited number of STD Public telephones imported along with Electronic exchanges from Japan are being tried in the network.

Performance of Delhi telephone exchanges

1843. SHRI J. P. GOYAL: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that some telephone exchanges in Delhi have been frozen; if so, what are their names and the date since when each such telephone exchange is lying frozen;

(b what are the reasons for which these telephone exchanges having been frozen; and

(c) when each of these telephone exchanges is likely to be de-frozen?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) Out of a total of 48 telephone exchanges in Delhi, the following telephone exchanges are frozen at present:

	Name of the Exchange	Date since when frozen
1.	Shakti Nagar (711, 712, 74)	31-3-1986
2.	a) Shahdara (21&24)	31-3-1986
	b) Shahdara East (20)	30-6-1985
3.	Okhla	31-3-1986
4.	Janak Puri	30-6-1986
5.	Kidwai Bhavan	31-3-1986
6.	Nangloi	15-3-1986
7.	Alipur	31-3-1986
8.	Badli	31-3-1986

(b) These exchanges are frozen as they are working to their full capacity.

(c) These telephone exchanges are likely tob e de-frozen as indicated below:—

Sl.No.	Name of the telephone exchange	Likely to be de-frozen during
1.	Shakti Nagar	March, 1987
2.	Shahdara	March, 1987
3.	Okhla	March, 1987
4.	Kidwai Bhavan	1987-88
5.	Janak Puri	March, 1987
6.	Nangloi	During the Current Plan period.
7.	Alipur	
8.	Badli	